

# EXPERT OPINIONS ON RAWWHITE

## HOLD AUTOPSY ON BODY OF WOMAN

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 29.—Dr. Campbell, acting for Coroner Hartwell, held an autopsy on the body of Mrs. Charlotte Noyes, who was shot and killed by W. P. McComas, a mining engineer, early this morning. It was found that one of the bullets pierced the woman's body, struck the neck, entered the middle of the upper thorax, glanced from the breast bone to the left and came out through the upper left arm. The other bullet entered the middle of the breast, passed to the left directly through the heart and came out of the back, lodging in the corset.

## EVELYN ENTERS DENIAL

SAYS SHE HAS NEITHER DEMANDED NOR RECEIVED MONEY.

(By Associated Press.)  
NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Mrs. Evelyn Thaw denied today that she had demanded \$1,000,000, or had received any offer of money to induce her to consent to the annulment of her marriage to Harry K. Thaw.

## CHINESE MINISTER GIVEN BANQUET

(By Associated Press.)  
OAKLAND, Feb. 29.—Wu Ting Fang, Chinese minister to the United States, was the guest of honor at a banquet tonight given by the Chamber of Commerce of Oakland.

## RICH STRIKE On the Stinson Lease AT RAWWHITE

Three Inches of Ores that Runs \$5 to the Pound Uncovered on Royal Tiger—Eighteen Inches on Bushwacker Goes \$500 a Ton.

Three inches of ore on the Stinson lease of the Royal Tiger that goes five dollars a pound. Eighteen inches of ore on the Bushwacker claim which goes better than five hundred dollars a ton.

This is the latest news from Rawhide. It came yesterday in a letter to George Thatcher, the attorney, from his father, who is in Rawhide. Both own the control in the Bushwacker, which adjoins the Royal Tiger group. The Royal Tiger was the first ground that was promoted in Tonopah, the control of the group having been taken by old timers here. The proposition was brought here by Bert Gillespie, since which time the property has grown better and better every day.

"My father is much enthused over the camp," said Attorney Thatcher, "and he proposes to remain there. He says that there never were such showings as there are on the Royal and the Bushwacker. While he is interested in that part of the camp, he says that all Rawhide is the wonder of the mining age. Today it is a strike on the Royal Tiger ground, tomorrow it is on the Balloon group, the next day on the Grunt lease, and then the Murray lease blows forth some new discovery. It is now the

## GLASS WORKS CLOSED

PACIFIC INSTITUTION IS CAUGHT BY SAN FRANCISCO BANK FAILURE.

(By Associated Press.)  
STOCKTON, Feb. 29.—The plant of the Pacific Window Glass Works here closed down today for an indefinite time. Two hundred men are affected. The reason for the shut down is that the institution was crippled in its finances by the failure of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company of San Francisco, the managers of which were controlling men in the glass factory.

## REPORT WILL BE MADE PUBLIC

(Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—William Rossiter, appointed recently by the President to make an investigation of the government printing office on a business basis, following the suspension of Public Printer Stillings, today completed that work and presented his report to the President. The report will not be made public for several days.

RENO JOURNAL SOLD.  
RENO, Feb. 29.—The Nevada State Journal, which has been Democratic for thirty-four years, will hereafter be independent, George D. Kilborn of the Isabella mines of Cripple Creek, Col., having purchased the paper today.

DEATH OF PIONEER.  
VALLEJO, Cal., Feb. 29.—Colonel John Brownlie, a pioneer resident here, died suddenly tonight from an attack of heart disease. He was 75 years of age and director of the Vallejo Chamber of Commerce and the Citizens' Bank of this city.

## Expressed by Men Who Have Been in All the Mining Camps of Recent Date.

There is only one opinion of Rawhide entertained by mining men who have been in the district, and that is that it is the greatest camp for surface showings that the world has ever seen. The following interviews were had by W. W. Booth, and they speak for themselves. They are with men who have been in nearly all the mining camps of note of recent years, who have seen mines made from the ground to the depths, and they are well capable of judging of the possibilities of a district as anybody in the world. Here is what they have to say:

### BANKER FRANK GOLDEN.

I was kissed off in Goldfield by men whom I considered my personal friends. But I want to say right now that I have come here to see for myself, and that I have determined to invest my money here. Rawhide is a sure winner, and I am here to get in on the ground floor. I never saw such surface showings in my life.

### JAMES J. McQUILLAN County Commissioner

As Mr. McQuillan was leaving Rawhide in his auto: "It is great—the greatest there ever was in the State of Nevada. I am coming back here in three or four days."

### SENATOR T. L. ODDIE

I was at Rawhide over two months ago, and was highly pleased at the surface showings that I saw, and at the result of the assays of samples taken by me for the purpose of ascertaining the value of certain ore bodies which I looked at. The greatest need of the camp is abundant and cheap power.

### BANKER BERT L. SMITH

The best showings that were to be had on Jumbo in the early days of Goldfield were \$1.40 a ton. That was the best that the men of that day had to warrant them in going ahead with development. What then shall be said of Rawhide with the enormous values that are being found on the surface, and as they go down into the ground.

### A. G. WHEELER of Goldfield

Neither Tonopah nor Goldfield were ever in it with Rawhide at the same stage of development. I don't believe that there was ever a place in the world that could compare with the district for surface showings, and there is no reason why the values should not get better with development.

### "KEY" PITTMAN

Who braved the dangers and hardships of the trail in the Klondike rush. Rawhide lies at our very feet, of easy access, without the hardships of the hunt for the Alaskan treasures, and it is a country of greater promise than was the Klondike. There never were seen greater surface showings anywhere, and the assays from the depths that have been attained tell the rest of the story.

### JACK SALSBERY

There is nothing like it in the world for surface showings. It surpasses anything that I had heard of on the outside. The ore is holding out as far as they have gone down here, and there is no reason why there should not be permanency at depth.

### FRED SIEBERT

First general manager of the Tonopah Mining Company. The surface showings of the camp are the most remarkable that I have ever seen. There is one ledge on the Murray lease which looks very good to me. Rawhide is certainly a camp worth while.

### OWNEY DOUGHERTY

One of the early leasers of Tonopah. I never saw such showings in my life, and I came from Nevada county in California, where they hold the record for gold production. It is the best camp for prospecting that I was ever in, for there is not only lots of high grade, but there are great ledges running through the district, and in addition to that there are placer showings which alone would make a great camp. I think that Rawhide is destined to be the greatest camp in Nevada, if not in the world.

### ZEB KENDALL

One of the early leasers of Tonopah, and a man who has made mines. I have made several fortunes in mining, and I expect to make the greatest of all in Rawhide. The district appealed to me as soon as I set eyes on it, and I lost no time in getting in on the ground floor. The surface showings are simply marvelous, and as far as they have gone down, the values are holding out. It is not only a camp of high grade, but there are well defined ledges, and what appeals to me more strongly is the fact that there is ore, ore, and plenty of it. That is what we are after, and believe me, I am just as well pleased to find that at the start, rather than to have to go several hundred feet for it.

### HUMBOLDT GATES

I was in Alaska, and saw the wonders of that country, which were heralded to the world, but Rawhide, for a mining camp, is the greatest that I have ever seen. There never has been anything like it anywhere in the world.

## STATE POLICE COMING

ARE OUTFITTED AND WILL MOVE TO GOLDFIELD NEXT WEEK.

(By Associated Press.)  
CARSON, Nev., Feb. 29.—Members of the Nevada police, which are to take the place of the United States troops at Goldfield, March 7th, received their arms today. The armory in this city has been used as a drilling room for the past three weeks and the thirty-five men which compose the force, are now in shape to go into the field. Target practice has also been indulged in. Captain Cox has not yet decided when the police force will go to Goldfield, but believed it would be early next week.

## HOAGLAND WINS WALKING CONTEST

(By Associated Press.)  
KANSAS CITY, Feb. 29.—W. A. Hoagland of Auburn, N. Y., won the six-day walking match which ended here tonight, having covered 280 miles in sixty-two hours. He thus retains the world's championship. The score at the finish was Hoagland, 280 miles; Tom Slater, 276 miles; H. O. Messier, 272 miles; H. I. Player, 268 miles; Hartley, 258 miles.

## ARBITRATION TREATY SIGNED.

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—An arbitration treaty between the United States and Switzerland was signed today by Secretary Root and Minister Leo Vogel.

## Pat Garrett, Slayer Of "Billy the Kid," Killed by Rancher

(By Associated Press.)  
ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Feb. 29.—Pat Garrett, who was shot and killed today first appeared in New Mexico about 1878, and went to Lincoln county where he quietly engaged in ranching and cattle raising. He soon gained a reputation as a sheriff of Lincoln county. Garrett was later captain of rangers in Texas. He was a personal friend of President Roosevelt and Governor Curry of New Mexico. Roosevelt appointed him collector of customs at El Paso, which position he held for a couple of years. He tired of the monotony of official life and went back to ranching and mining in Dona Ana county.

Garrett had been on a visit to one of his ranches near a New Mexican town in a buckboard, with a friend, and was returning to Las Cruces, when they were overtaken by Brazle. A quarrel between the principals followed. Garrett is said to have reached for a shotgun, when Brazle fired twice, both shots taking effect. Garrett was instantly killed. Brazle rode five miles to Las Cruces, where he surrendered to Sheriff Lucero.

The quarrel between Garrett and Brazle arose over a ranch that had been leased by Brazle, and on which he had pastured a herd of goats. Garrett remonstrated with the lessee, and declared that goat pasturing was in violation of a contract between them.

At the inquest held this afternoon,

a coroner's jury at Las Cruces returned a verdict that Garrett came to his death as the result of wounds inflicted by a revolver in the hands of Brazle. The sole eyewitness to the killing, Carl Adamson, told the story of the shooting, in which Brazle threatened Garrett. Brazle declared the shooting was in self defense.

## STANFORD DEFEATED.

(By Associated Press.)  
LOS ANGELES, Feb. 29.—St. Vincent College nine of this city today defeated Stanford University nine by a score of 4 to 0.

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